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The project 28829-EG-EQ "Mechanism of Atomization and Behavior of Non-dilute Sprays," was under the directorship of Dr. David Mann of the Division of Engineering and Environmental Sciences of the Army Research Office. The period of this project is from 15 March 1991 to 14 March 1992. The grant number of this project is DAAL03-91-G-0078. This project complements another project "Mechanism of Intermittent Atomization," DAAL03-89-K-0179 which is also under the directorship of Dr. David Mann. The writer is the principal investigator of both of the above mentioned projects.

1. Problem Statement

The fundamental mechanism of intermittent psrays such as that encountered in Diesel engines are investigated. A novel theory of intermittent sprays is developed. A complete development of the theory requires an accompanying experimental verification. The equipment grant is used to establish an experimental system for this purpose.

2. Summary of Research Results

The general layout of the constructed experimental system is show in Fig. 1 in Appendix B. This system is used to obtain some preliminary results which characterize the intermittent sprays of various duration in certain range of relevant flow parameters. Fig. 2 in Appendix B gives some typical results. The distributions of droplet size and velocity for an intermittent spray created by a pressure pulsation of 35 ms duration are given in the figure. The statistics of the droplets are taken at a point 0.25 in off the spray axis and 4 in downstream from the spray nozzle. More comprehensive results will be obtained. The results will be compared with theories to elucidate the fundamental mechanism of intermittent sprays. Fundamental knowledge is essential for rational design of fuel injection systems.

3. Participating Personnel

The following individuals have participated in the project.

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4. Bibliographies

Relevant bibliographies are cited in references of the published papers.

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Proposed System

APPENDIX B

Figure 1

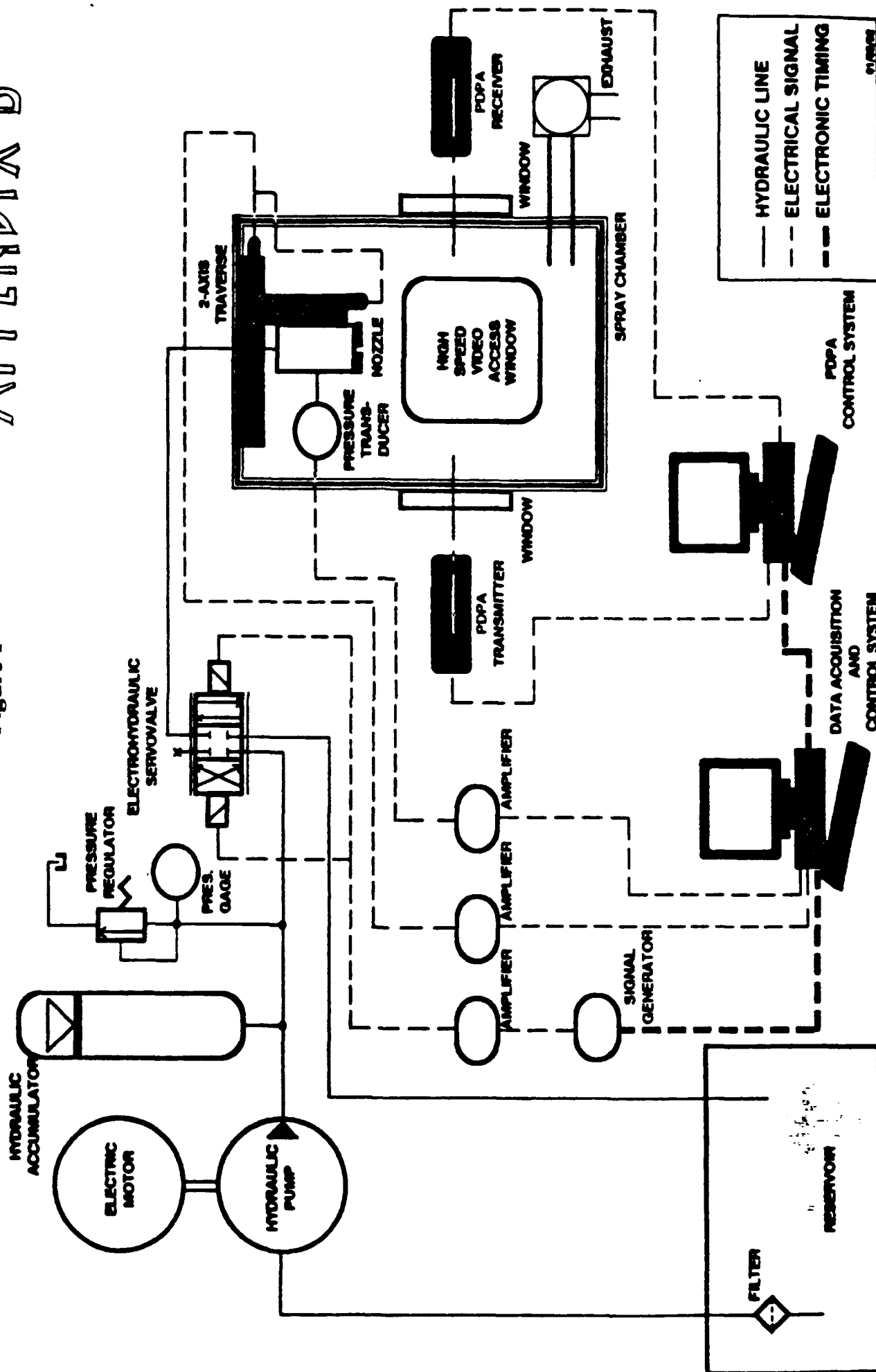


FIG. 2-a

Pressure and Number of Drops
35ms symmetric pulse, position B-A

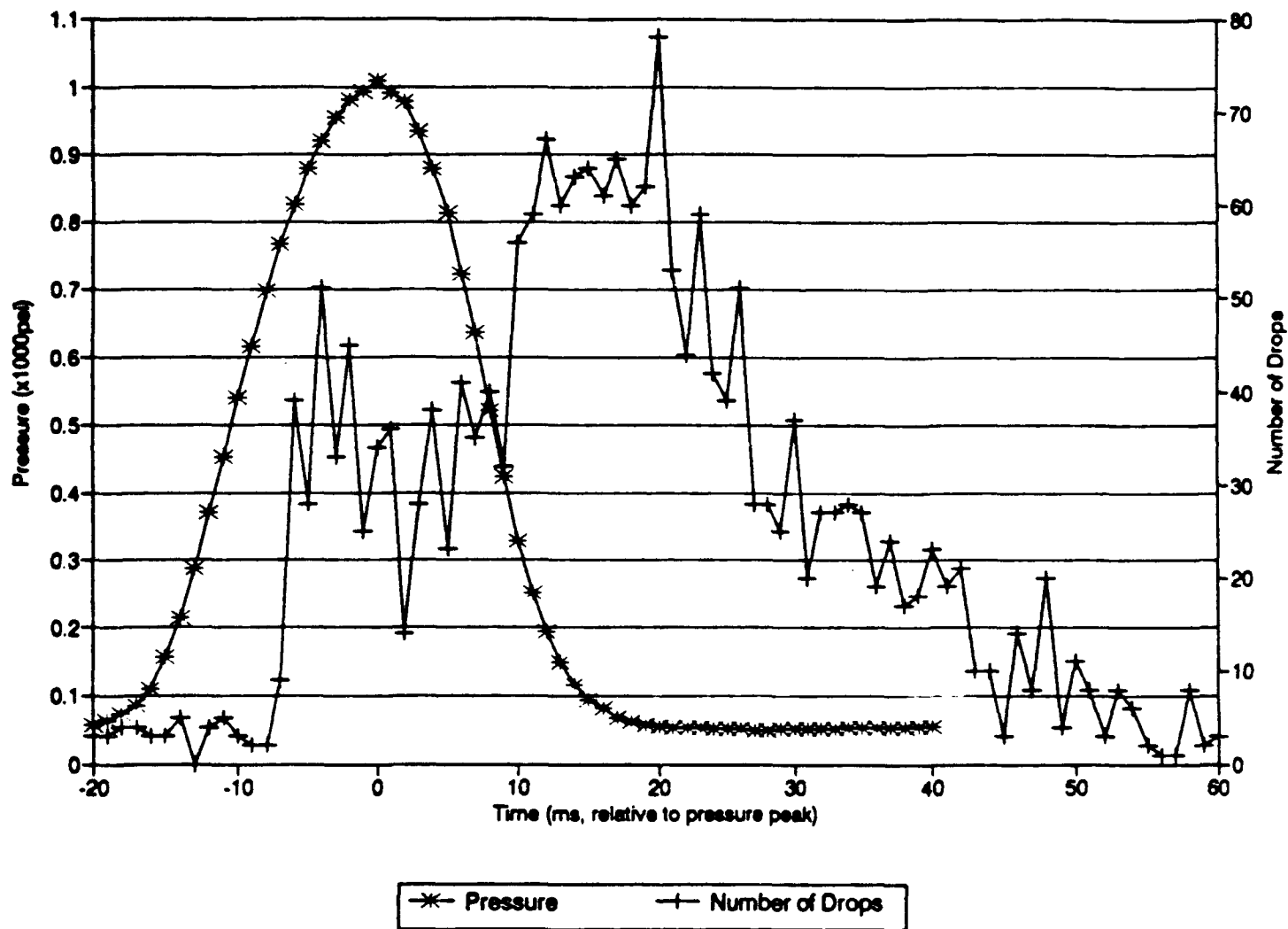


FIG. 2.- b

